



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9569**  
Yoshio UMEZAWA et al. : Docket No. 2002\_0426A  
Serial No. 10/089,040 : Group Art Unit 1652  
Filed April 16, 2002 : Examiner William A. Moore  
  
PROBE FOR PROTEIN-PROTEIN : **Mail Stop: Amendment**  
INTERACTION ANALYSIS, AND  
METHOD OF USING IT FOR ANALYSIS  
OF PROTEIN-PROTEIN INTERACTION

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 2, 2005, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975